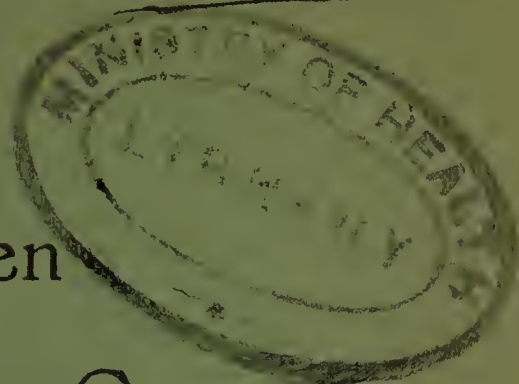
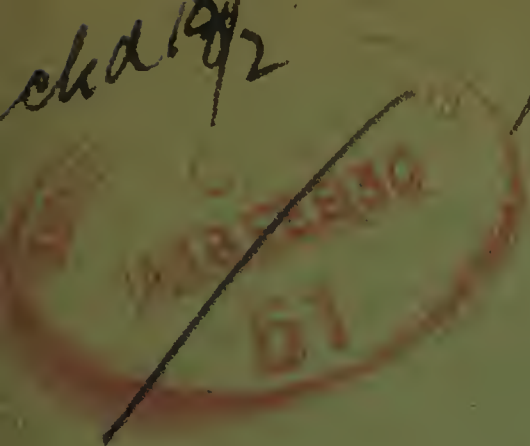


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Hales Owen Hospital & Charities Committee.

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District Nurse Committee—

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Elvethan Road, (Tel. Midland 528).

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Hon. Secretaries—Messrs H. V. O'CONNOR and F. G. RRICE.

Matron—MISS ADAMES.

District Nurse—MISS FERRABY.

Annual Report.

In presenting this, its first Report, the Committee is of opinion that the amalgamation of the Hales Owen Charities has proved an unqualified success. At no time has the response to appeals for financial help been more generous—not only from local firms and individuals, but in the support given to the Carnival and Charity Sports. The results of “Pound Day,” too, are very gratifying, the amount collected being double that resulting from the previous year’s effort, while the collections of the local school children during “Egg Week” surpassed all expectations. The “Rose Day” appeal met with a very gratifying response.

The increased income has enabled the committee to render greater service to the community, so that we are able to face the coming year after paying for the services of the District nurse and the treatment of 160 patients at the Cottage Hospital with a deficit of less than £10.

Our thanks are due to the Matron and her staff for the splendid way in which they have carried on their work at the Cottage Hospital. This has been done at times under very great difficulties due to overcrowding and to casualties among the staff; but at all times each individual has shown a readiness to face difficulties and a loyalty to their charge. Their work has splendidly backed up the efforts of our honorary medical staff, to whom a deep debt of gratitude is due for the services they render to the patients. Perhaps this feeling is best shown in the expressions of thanks conveyed to the committee by patients for their treatment. The outside nursing has been most efficiently carried out by Miss Ferraby.

A new departure this year has been affiliation with the Worcester City and County Nursing Association. The help we shall obtain from this body will, it is felt, prove not only a boon to the District, but a great aid to our District Nurse.

It would be invidious to distinguish between the various sub-Committees; all have worked well, and the results they have achieved must be very gratifying to them. Perhaps an exception must be made in favour of the Ladies Committee. Not only have they carried through their own particular efforts, but their help has been invaluable in connection with the Carnival and Charity Sports. A Linen Guild under the Misses Green has rendered splendid service in helping to provide the Hospital with an adequate supply of linen.

In conclusion the Committee desires to offer its grateful thanks to the firms and individuals who contributed so generously to the funds. to those who organised entertainments on its behalf, and to all who have worked so hard to bring our first year to a successful end. Special mention must be made of the Birmingham Hospitals Contributory Scheme. This organisation has contributed over £700 for the year, and the Committee strongly urge those who have not yet joined in it to do so at once. The local Secretary is Rev. S. J. Robins.

COTTAGE HOSPITAL.

Total number of patients treated	160 (69 Medical and 91 Surgical)
Total number of days’ treatment	3136
Number of deaths during the year	11

DISTRICT NURSE.

Total number of patients visited	88 (Surgical 20, Medical 68)
Total number of visits paid	2107
Number of deaths during the year	21

Cottage Hospital Rules.

1.—The Hospital is designed for the accommodation and treatment of emergency cases of sickness and accident within a radius of five miles of the town of Halesowen, and such parts of the parish as may be beyond that limit. Suitable cases are defined as those requiring treatment as inpatients and these must (except in cases of accident) be bona-fide residents within the said radius. No out patients' department is provided.

2.—No case shall be admitted that would ordinarily go to infirmary except in case of extreme urgency.

3.—The Hospital shall be under the management of a Committee and Trustees, together with President, Vice President, Honorary Secretary, who shall be elected at the Annual meeting, to meet quarterly.

4.—The Annual Meeting shall be held in the month of January, at which the Report of the Committee and Statement of Receipt and Expenditure, with the Balance Sheet for the past year, shall be presented. No alteration in the Rules shall be made unless notice thereof be given in the Circulars and advertisements convening the Annual Meeting.

5.—The House Committee (four of whom shall form a quorum) shall meet once a month at a time and place to be appointed by the Committee, or, in the absence of any such appointment, then on the first Tuesday in every month.

6.—Visitors for each month shall be appointed by the House Committee.

7.—The General Committee shall have power to make bye-laws and do all such things as may be necessary for the management of the hospital, and to fill any vacancy that may occur in their number.

8.—In the event of a vacancy occurring in the posts of Honorary Medical or Consulting Officers, the Committee shall be empowered to fill the same, such appointment to be confirmed at the next Annual Meeting.

9.—The General Committee shall appoint a Matron who shall reside in the Hospital and they may provide further assistance if and when required.

10.—Admission will be free to all deserving patients, the House Committee reserving to themselves the right to make a charge in such cases as they may deem fit.

11.—No midwifery cases, or persons labouring under mental, contagious or incurable diseases, shall be admitted.

12.—Cases of accident and emergency requiring immediate hospital treatment will be admitted forthwith; Medical and Surgical cases will be admitted on the recommendation of the Medical Attendant.

13.—No patient shall be allowed to remain in the hospital more than three weeks without the consent of the House Committee.

14.—Every requisite, except personal clothing, will be provided in the Hospital. Patients shall submit to the regulations of the Hospital and not receive food or drink from any other source without the sanction of their Medical Officer.

15.—Subscriptions shall be paid in advance. No person shall take part in the proceedings of the Hospital, nor be entitled to any privileges as a subscriber unless his or her subscription for the current year shall have been paid.

16.—Donors of twenty guineas shall become Life Governors.

17.—The Hospital, Land and Buildings and all property devoted to the use of the Hospital, and all legacies bequeathed to it, shall be vested in the Trustees, who shall invest or otherwise deal with all legacies under the direction of the Committee. The Trustees for the time being shall be indemnified out of the property of the Hospital against all losses and expenses which they may incur or sustain as Trustees.

18.—Of any legacy bequeathed to the Hospital, one half at least of the amount received under the bequest shall, unless otherwise specified by the Testator, be placed to the Endowment Fund.

Rules re District Nurse.

1.—The affairs of the District Nurse shall be managed by a sub-committee of the above Committee, consisting of a Secretary and ten members of the General Committee, and Medical Practitioners of the District ex-officio.

2.—The Nurse shall work only under the direction of the Doctors resident in the Halesowen District, except in cases of emergency, and her duties shall be confined generally to Halesowen.

3.—The Nurse's aim shall be to carry out the Doctor's directions. She must never act contrary to these. Great care must be taken not to act instead of a Doctor whenever the case requires one.

4.—The Nurse shall enter in the Register all cases attended and present such book to the Committee at their Meetings, after her report has been approved; her attendance at the Meeting would not be required.

5.—The Nurse shall not attend infectious or maternity cases, Night Duty will not be expected of her except under extraordinary circumstances and with the consent of the Doctor.

6.—The Nurse shall be responsible for all appliances clothing, etc., lent to her patients, and, as far as possible, shall see that they are returned in good condition.

7.—The Nurse's salary and expenses shall be defrayed by the Amalgamated Charities General Committee. No presents or gratuities shall be given to the Nurse for services rendered to patients.

8.—The Nurse shall be entitled to four weeks holiday during the year, also Sundays, and a half-day off duty every week when practicable.

9.—One month's notice on either side shall terminate the engagement.

Hales Owen Hospital

BALANCE SHEET

RECEIPTS	£	s.	d.
Balance Cr. Nurse Fund 31/12/28	65	14	8
Proceeds of Carnival	297	0	4
Proceeds of Charity Sports	39	15	7
Proceeds of "Rose Day"	35	17	1
Other donations and subscriptions	542	13	11
Payments by patients	200	1	0
B.H.C.S. Hospital	430	11	4
B.H.C.S. Nurse's Visits	39	1	0
Other payments Nurse's visits	3	9	1
Rebate on Insurance		10	6
Interest		4	9
Balance Dr.	218	0	8

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ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Due from B. H. C. S.—Hospital z	227	2	10
Due from B. H. C. S.—Out-patients		12	0
Due from B. H. C. S.—District Nurse	16	0	0
Due from Patients	40	15	0
Late donations and subscription	89	17	8
Balance Dr.	4	10	2
	378	17	8

OTHER ASSETS.

- 1.—The Cottage Hospital premises are the property of the Committee.
- 2.—£200 in 2½% Consols presented by Mr. Frank Somers and invested in the name of Messrs. J. B. Downing and F. T. Goodman.

Charities Committee.

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EXPENDITURE

	£	s.	d
Balance Dr. Cottage Hospital 31/12/28	243	7	9
C.H. Salaries and N.H.I.	467	12	1
„ Special Nurses	39	8	4
„ Housekeeping	352	0	9
„ Medicines, etc.,	111	0	0
„ Fuel and Light	165	10	5
„ Rates	19	19	0
„ Water-rate	5	2	6
„ Insurance	6	1	9
„ Printing, etc.,	13	7	4
„ Telephone	13	15	9
„ Repairs, etc.,	114	13	5
„ Wireless, etc.,	7	8	9
„ Haulage	3	6	0
„ Operations	35	14	0
„ Doctors' Fund	86	2	3
„ Fire Extinguisher	8	14	4
District Nurse's Salary, etc.,	157	11	11
Donation Birmingham Eye Hospital	2	2	0
Postage	2	15	0
Cheque Books	1	10	0
Bank Charges	15	16	7
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	£1872	19	11

Audited and found correct THOS. CRADDOCK *Auditors.*
E. J. MAIDEN,

t, DECEMBER, 1929.

LIABILITIES

	£	s.	d.
Balance Dr. at Bank	218	0	8
Due to Doctors' Fund	45	8	7
Bills due on 31/12/1929	115	8	5
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	378	17	8

3.—£141 6s. 4d. balance of funds handed over by the old Charity Sports Committee and set aside as "The Good Samaritan Fund."

LEGACIES—Late Mr. G. Crumpton—half share of property to be sold at a later date. Late Mr. W. H. Southwell : £300 to be paid at a later date. Late Mr. J. Corbett : £40.

Payments made by Patients

Mrs. A. E. Bond	2	0	0
Mrs. Bibby	7	10	0
Mrs. Bowen	1	1	0
Miss Bourne	6	6	0
Mr. Bennett	1	1	0
Mr. R. Crumpton	3	0	0
Mrs. Cooper	6	0	0
Mrs. G. Cockin	2	0	0
Mrs. H. Downing	2	2	0
Mrs. Dillard		10	0
Mrs. J. W. Fry	8	8	0
Mr. W. Green	12	12	0
Mr. Gadd	7	17	6
Mr. A. J. Grove	12	12	0
Mr. Holden	4	0	0
Rev. V. E. Hinksman	26	0	0
Miss Hodgetts	3	3	0
Miss Ingram	2	2	0
Mr. N. Jordan	4	4	0
Mr. J. Jordan	11	0	6
Mr. E. Moseley	1	10	0
Mrs. Mansell		10	0
Mr. Partridge		10	0
Mr. C. Peach	3	12	0
Prudential Approved Society	7	0	0
Mr. Portman	1	1	0
Mrs. Proctor	9	9	0
Mr. Perry	2	3	6
Mr. A. Shaw	16	16	0
Mr. A. Smith	2	0	0
Mr. J. Smart	2	2	0
Mrs. Tidmarsh	1	1	0
Mr. W. Withers	5	5	0
Mr. Walters	18	7	6
Miss Wills	5	5	0

List of Subscriptions.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Andrews	1	1	0
Mr. T. Allechurch	2	1	0
Anon	4	13	4
Anon	5	0	0
Aston Villa F.C.	20	0	0
Mr. W. D. Abbiss	1	1	0
Mr. C. S. Burch	10	0	0
Bromsgrove Union	3	3	0
Messrs. Bate and Winzer	2	2	
Thos Bantock and Co.	1	1	0
B.T.H. Employees' Hospital Fund	10	10	0
Blackheath and Rowley Regis Hospital Com.	5	5	0
Mr. E. Beard	1	1	0
Mr. W. L. Brown	1	1	0
Mr. A. Blackwell	1	1	0
Rev. Canon H. C. A. Colvile	1	1	0
Crown Pram Works per Mr. S. Williams	11	11	8
Consols	5	0	0

Colley Lane Charity Football Match	26	9	7
Civic Sunday Collection	16	10	6
Collection at Men's Own	2	0	0
Collecting Box—Hospital	5	3	8
Collection—per Mrs. A. E. Priest	1	10	0
Colley Lane Schools	1	1	0
Collecting Boxes, (Mrs. Withers)	1	5	3
Collecting Boxes, Shenstone Hotel	17	1	
Collecting Boxes, Badham Bros.,	12	6	
Cradley Friendly Societies Parade Committee	5	5	0
Cottage Hospital F. C. Competition	4	0	0
Viscount Cobham	2	0	0
Mrs. E. J. E. Dickson	2	2	0
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Darke	1	1	0
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Downing	1	1	0
Egg Money	7	12	8
Sale of Fruit	1	0	0
Hales Owen Football Club	4	0	0
Mr. H. Grove	10	10	0
Mr. and Mrs. G. Green	3	1	0
Mr. E. J. Grove	2	2	0
Mr. G. Green	10	0	
Mr. G. F. Grove	10	0	0
Mrs. G. F. Grove	2	0	0
Messrs. A. C. & S. Green	2	2	0
Supt. and Mrs. Gray	10	6	
Mr. F. T. Goodman	1	1	0
Hales Owen Steel Co.,	10	10	0
Hales Owen Operatic Society	49	0	0
Messrs. Harper & Sons	10	0	0
Hales Owen Gas Company	4	4	0
Messrs. J. Hickton's Employees	2	2	0
Mr. J. Hackett	10	6	
Mrs. Hackett	5	0	
Harvest Sale, Town's End Stores	8	9	9
Harvest Sale, The Plough Inn	2	0	0
Harvest Sale, "Old Royal" Inn	4	0	0
Harvest Sale, "Round of Beef"	2	10	0
"Henery"	1	1	0
Mr. F. Hollyhoke	1	1	0
Messrs. Housing Ltd., (Blackheath)	10	10	0
Mr. and Mrs. Homfray	3	3	0
Messrs. Hingley's (Netherton Iron Works)			
Hospital Fund	10	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. A. James	1	1	0
Mr. and Mrs. J. Jordan	10	6	
Mr. and Mrs. Jump	1	0	0
St. Kenelm's Church	2	2	0
Mr. F. H. Kendrick	1	1	0
Lloyds Bank	5	5	0
London Midland and Scottish Railway			
Hospital Fund	6	6	0
Ladies Committee Dance per Mrs. Andrews	16	0	6
Messrs. T. W. Lench's Hospital Fund	5	5	0
Midland Cons. Bowling League	3	0	0
Midland Bank	5	5	0
Orpheus Operatic Society	17	16	10
Messrs. H. Parkes' Employees	2	7	6
Pound Day Cash Donations	7	4	6
Perseverance Chapter Lodge	2	2	0

Messrs. Hingley's Employees, Old Hill Works	2	2	0
Perseverance Lodge	7	7	0
Mrs. Neale		5	0
Mr. J. W. Parkes	1	1	0
Mr. C. Peach	9	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. W. Priest	1	1	0
Mr. S. T. Quelch		10	0
Messrs. H. Rudge (Islington) Employees	8	17	11
Mr. J. C. Stredder	1	1	0
Schools Football Association	22	7	7
Messrs. W. Somers Employees	5	0	0
Sportsmen's Service collection	4	0	5
Mrs. N. A. Southwell	1	0	0
Mr. S. S. Somers	5	0	0
Messrs. H. Vincent—proceeds of performance of "Tons of Money"	30	19	0
Sale of Sweets at above	2	0	0
Wores. Constab. F.C. Competition	37	0	8
Women's Bible Class (per Mrs. Hughes)		5	0
Messrs. C. Willetts, Junior	1	1	0
Mr. A. Wainwright		10	6
Mr. W. Whitehouse	3	10	0
Mr. and Mrs. L. Williams	1	1	0
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Late Donations and Subscriptions.

	£	s.	d.
Mr. and Mrs. S. Williams	1	1	0
Cradley Gas Company	3	3	0
Messrs. Hackett Bros., Ltd., Employees	23	2	4
Hales Owen Free Church Council	1	1	0
Hales Owen and Hasbury Industrial Co-operative Society	2	2	0
Hockley Branch, G.W.R. Hospital Saving Association	1	1	0
Cottage Hospital Football Cup Competition	1	5	0
Messrs. Stewarts & Lloyds, Coombs Wood Hospital Fund	50	0	0
Hales Owen U.D.C. Employees	7	2	4
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List of Gifts, 1929.

- Mr. Abercrombie—tin of toffee
Anonymous—One load of slack and one cwt soda.
Mr. Bibby—potatoes
Mrs. Brettle—two pillow cases
Mr. Butler—one pound cocoa
Mr. Brewer (Worcester)—gooseberries and beans
Mrs. Brooks—eggs and flowers
Dr. Bland—clock and cigarettes
Baptist Mission—grapes, eggs and apples
Mrs. W. L. Brown—flowers and curtains
Miss Basterfield—chocolates
Miss Barlow—flowers
Dr. Brown—bottle of wine
Mr. F. Bird—chccolates
Mr. J. W. Crumpton—artificial manure and sign board
Charity Sports (per Ladies' Committee)—1lb marmalade
106lbs sugar, 16 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs tea, 2 jellies, $\frac{1}{2}$ lb Atora
suet, $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. semolina, 10 tins fruit, 1 tin custard,
powder, 3lbs butter, 1lb rice.
Mr. W. Cooper—brandy
Mrs. Clarke—6lbs tea
Mrs. Cooper (Quinton)—wicker chair and cushions
Mr. H. Downing—two tea pots
Sister Davies—two tea pots and four egg cups.
Mr. J. B. Downing—turkey and garden roller
Mrs. J. B. Downing—plum pudding and Christmas
cake and apples.
Mrs. E. J. E. Dickson—ham, three jars tongue and
one jar potted meat
Mr. Edge—one gallon milk
Mrs. Fellows—eggs and fruit
Mr. F. Dudley—flowers, fruit and vegetables
Mrs. W. Green—green peas and gooseberries
Mr. Gill—eggs, vegetables and flowers
Mrs. A. J. Grove Junr.—chocolates and crackers
Mrs. Homfray—eggs, books, table cloth, cups saucers
and plates, marzipans
Mr. Holloway—groceries.
Miss Heath—old linen
Mrs. Herbert—pillow case
Rev. V. E. Hinksman—fruit, vegetables, flowers and
jam
Mrs. Homer—fruit

Mr. and Mrs. L. Harper—large tin of biscuits
 Miss Ingram—ten shillings for bulbs
 Mrs. Jump—books and games
 Mr. Skidmore Jones—dining room carpet, stair carpet,
 two tables, hall stand, two wash stands complete
 one large dining room table, easy chair and
 towel rail
 Mr. T. King—one pound tea
 Dr. McKay—wine and cigarettes.
 Mrs. McMillan—six tray cloths, blankets and cot.
 Mr. Marriott—cake and joint of pork.
 Mrs. Norbury—teddy bear.
 Mrs. Neal—books, gooseberries and pillow cases.
 Mrs. Newey—five pounds tea.
 Mrs. Peach—magazines, plum pudding, tongue.
 Mr. V. Partridge—brandy.
 Mr G. B. Parkes—brandy.
 Perseverance Lodge—fruit, flowers and sweets.
 Miss Proctor's pupils—five dolls, doll's cot and two
 dolls' beds.
 Mrs. S. J. Robins—magazines.
 Mr. J. C. Stredder—oak table and flowers.
 Mrs. F. Somers—books, old linen, Christmas cake,
 apples, muscatels, chocolates, jam, ginger and
 figs.
 Miss Stanley—six pounds jam, cake, four pounds
 | reserve.
 Sisterhood—flowers and apples.
 Mr. A. Shaw—child's cot.
 Mrs. Shaw—chocolates.
 Mrs. Sellars—fruit.
 Mrs. Sawyer—two waterbottles and glasses, one dozen
 cups and saucers and two bath towels.
 Mrs. Silk—one hare, Christmas pudding and cheese.
 Mrs. Thomas (Worcester)—ten pillow cases, table
 cloth and gooseberries.
 Tenter Street School—twenty-one pounds granulated
 sugar, one and a quarter pounds rice, one and
 a half pounds flour, one pound marmalade.
 one tin fruit.
 Mrs. Welsh—six pillow cases.
 Mrs. Whitecuse—flowers.
 Mr. Whitehouse—lawn mower.
 Mr. Wainwright—blankets.
 Miss Yeoman—books.

POUND DAY COLLECTION--643lbs.

FORM OF BEQUEST

THE PROPER FORM BY WHICH GIFTS MAY BE GIVEN TO

THIS HOSPITAL IS AS FOLLOWS:—

*I give unto the Treasurer for the time being of the
Halesowen & District Cottage Hospital for the purpose
of that Institution the sum of.....
to be paid out of my pure personality (or all that my
Freehold Land, Messuages, Buildings, etc.,) describing
them.*

